## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA STATESVILLE DIVISION

MIRANDA RUSSELL and RUTH HECKMAN,	) )
Plaintiffs,	) ) ) Civil No. 5:17-cv-00016-MOC-DSC
v.	
ROBERT HATFIELD	) )
Defendant.	) ) ) )
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	
Plaintiff,	, ) )
v.	) Civil No. 5:17-cv-00121
ROBERT NEAL HATFIELD,	) )
Defendant.	) )

## **ORDER**

Pursuant to the United States' Unopposed Motion for a Stay of the Entire Case in Light of Lapse of Appropriations, the Court hereby orders as follows:

**ORDERED** that the entire above-captioned case is stayed until the Court receives notice from the United States that Congress has restored appropriations to the U.S. Department of Justice; and

**FURTHER ORDERED** that upon the lifting of this stay, all current litigation deadlines for the parties shall be extended commensurate with the duration of the lapse in appropriations.

**SO ORDERED** Signed: December 27, 2018

David S. Cayer
United States Magistrate Judge